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MAPPING STRUCTURED
DOCUMENT TO STRUCTURED DATA
OF PROGRAM LANGUAGE AND
PROGRAM FOR EXECUTING ITS
METHOD

Examiner: K.J. Teska

Art Unit: 2123

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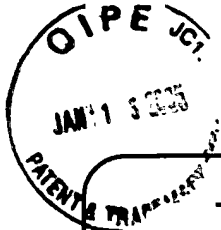
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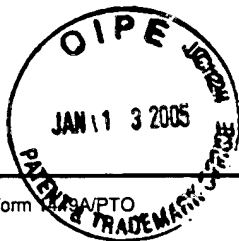
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